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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

HARRY J. LAST

SERIAL NO.: 09/829,801

FILED: APRIL 10, 2001

TITLE: AUTOMATIC POOL COVER
SYSTEM USING BUOYANT-
SLAT POOL COVERS

EXAMINER: BLAIR M. JOHNSON

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a one month extension of time to and inclusive of April 30, 2004, in which to respond to the office action dated December 31, 2003.

The applicant is herewith submitting its check to cover the statutory extension of time fee. Please charge any additional costs or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0258.

Dated: April 28, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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